The arrow

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Won't you help support your Lodge's summer rpoject for Owasippe, and help some boy's potential as a lodge Officer?

It is so easy to do so. All you have to do is purchase one of the attractive annaversary Lodge Flaps. They are available at a lodge meeting.

All proceeds from the sales of the 65th annaversary Lodge Flaps will go to a project to help out Owasippe in their Diamond Jubilee. They are also going to go for the scholarship fund for the National Conference.

NATIONAL NOTES

THE OBLIGATION WORDING CHANGES

The words "which have now received" will be deleted from the obligation. The obligation statement is now as follows:

I, ... do hereby promise on my honor as a Scout, that I will always and faithfully observe and preserve the traditions of the Order of the Arrow, Wimachtendienk, Wingolauchsik, Witahemui. I will always regard the ties of brotherhood in the Order of the Arrow as lasting, and will seek to preserve a cheerful spirit even in the midst of irksome tasks and weighty responsibilities, and will endeavor, so far as in my power lies, to be unselfish in service and devotion to the welfare of others.

SPREAD THE SPIRIT

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CEREMONIES NEED IMPACT

The success of the Ordeal ceremony is perhaps the most important element in being able to predict the future involvement of the Ordeal candidate. Second-rate ceremonies make for second-rate members. Always strive for perfection by remembering these points.

Remember these points:

General principles of Order of the Arrow ceremonies:

- Character building, not qualification tests
- Should always be inspirational
- Concept of ceremonial authroity, atmosphere symbolism: to set the spirit frame of mind
- Clarity needed for understanding
- Unity continuity and freedom from contradiction is necessary

Presentation of ceremonies must be well planned:

- Make them dramatic
- Speak distinctly
- Enunciate
- Vary speed to suit meaning
- Tone of voice is important
- Use appropriate body language
- Movements should be slow and deliberate
- Team members and ceremonies well rehearsed

Focus attention on speaker:

- Speak/act only when the audience is quiet and attentive
- Idle ceremony team members stand erect, nondistracting stance
- Be able to give instructions clearly

Become emotionally involved with the ceremony:

- Make it meaningful to all
- Team members should know, understand, and memorize parts
- Team members should understand the parts of others
- Be able to define and pronounce unusual words
- Practice at actual ceremony location

In the ceremonies, the team can make them more meaningful for others if they understand the ceremony and strive to live the ideals involved.

PROF.ADVISOR

We are still looking for a Lodge Order of the Arrow Summer Chief to handle the summer inductions program at Owasippe.

We are also still looking for someone to fill the Asst. Director to the Museum at Owasippe. If you are still intrested, please contact myself at the Council Office or at a Lodge Meeting.

Yours in Camping,

William Morrison
Lodge Staff Advisor &
Dir. of Camping

ADVISOR

The following is a copy of a letter that I sent to Dr. E. Urner Goodman to thank him for his participation at our 1978 Lodge Banquet. It read as follows:

> The brothers of our Lodge are deeply honored by your presence and participation at the Owasippe Lodge Banquet for 1978.
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> We thank you for extending the bond of friendship as reflected in the thought, and spirit of the Arrow. As brothers in this great endavoor, we shall continue to strive to elevate our minds and our deeds to wathc the infallible example set forth by you, Dr. Goodman.
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> May the spirit and principles of the order of the Arrow endure and continue to travel onward and upward."

This letter was written while I was in the capacity of the Advisor of Cahokia Chapter.

Dr. Goodmans'presence at the Banquet inspired me to write and tell him of my feelings. I trust that those few words may help to inspire those the members of our lodge. We are fast approcahing the summer camping season. The council has held the number of (3) in camp promotions nights in an attempt to create a proper enviroment for troops to sign up for summer camp. However, the need for personal contact by chapters (directly) with the Scoutmasters is really the only way to achieve maximum success.

The Advisors task that lies ahead should only remind us of the Order of the Arrow Obligation that we repeat over and over again, and put into action those words that are the basis of our order. The long range camping experience should not be denied to any Boy Scout because we have failed to extend our hand in cheerful service.

Yours in Fellowship,

David A. Demerer
Lodge Lay Advisor

TREASURER

ITEM	COST EACH
Ordeal Sash	$4.75
Brohterhood Sash	$5.10
Vigil Sash	$5.85
Lodge Flap	$2.00
O/A ribbion	$1.40
Bro. Pin	$2.50
Nat. O/A handbook	$1.25
Lodge Belt Buckle	$7.00
Spirit of the Arrow	.20¢
Lodge Bolo Ties	$4.00
Lodge Flap Pin	$1.50
Past Chap. Chief Pin	$5.00
Survival Book	$3.00
Drums Book	.50¢
Costumes Book	.75¢
Ordeal Ceremony Book	.90¢
Brotherhood Ceremony Book	.65¢
Chapter Advisor Patch	---
Camp & Trail Book	---
Owasippe Lodge Handbook	T.B.A

Prices subject to change with notice.

CORR.SCRIBE

Brothers,

As you well know, I am very new to this position. In my past Lodge positions, I have had many a chance to give service to you indirectly through the Lodge. In return, I have received much help in completing the tasks the Lodge assigned to me through your help. I hope to see as many of you as possible help me with the newsletter, or with C.O.T.S., and with the Nat. Conference. Scouting and the Order are a great thing, and they are a great way of learning many skills. I hope that I am able to do my job to the best, but only with your help can this be done.

I look foreword to a great year for the Lodge, the Chapters, and Owasippe. I hope to see all of you at some point and time through my term in office.

Yours in Headlines,

J. Howard Shane
Lodge Corr. Scribe

COMMITTEE NEWS

N.O.A.C. 86

I have noticed that not too many people have signed up to attend the Conference. Don't be frightened, there are still several openings in the lodge contingent. There are also several scholarships still available. All youths who attend are almost guarenteed a scholarship.

I have also outlined a payment schedule for those of you who haven't saved up for the conference. The deadline for registration is at the MARCH LODGE MEETING. At the March Lodge meeting, you will be asked to present a copy of a receipt for the $25.00 deposit, unless there is a copy on file. The payments go like this:

April Lodge meet.....$50.00
May Lodge meet.....$50.00
*June Lodge meet.....$50.00

If you have paid the deposit, all you have to do is keep up with the payments. If you can not keep up with the payment schedule, something can be worked out. There will be a contingent meeting of all those who plan to attend representing the LODGE.
* youth members who turned in a scholarship app. will only have to make a partial payment in June.

SEE YOU THERE,

Howard Shane-Conference Chmn.

SHOWANDO

Mr Childs is looking for about 25 to 35 Arrowmen to assist him at the Council SHOWANDO. The showando will be held at Fort Dearborn on may 3, 1986. If you are intrested, the jobs are light, and a meal will be provided. See you there.

If you wish to attend, please let your Chapter fill it in on the back page of the bid sheet. And for those of you who wish to register, the cost is $5.00 before april 26th, and $6.00 after that. The event will run from 8:00a.m. to 4:45p.m.

VIGIL HONOR

Our congratulations to the following members who were called to the Vigil Honor at the Lodge Banquet:

Paul J. Montalbano - Nendawen
Anthony Krier Sr. - Lodge
Scott Nelson - Wulihan
Robert Rojas - Allohak
Howard Schemerhorn - Lu-Mennepec
David Strong - Tionotali
Terry Tabisz - Keneu
Edward Wendling - Quigeu Aney

They will complete their Vigil at the Work Weekend on May 23rd-26th.

FELLOWSHIPS INDUCTIONS & BROTHERHOOD

The chapter felloship time draws nearer & the Lodge would just like to remind the Chapters of a few items. If and when you have your fellowships, you are asked to submit an Induction report & a sheet with the dates & location of your fellowship. In regards to the NEW BROTHERHOOD REQUIREMENTS: There are no changes in the ceremony. The new testing information will be available at the Lodge meeting. All chapters are not going to preform the new questioning. You are instructed to proceed with the old Brotherhood requirements & questioning. If you have any members in the Chapter who wish to undergo the new proceedures, may do so at the Lodge Fellowship in the fall.

WORK WEEKEND

FRIDAY, MAY 23rd

7:00 - 11:00	REGISTRATION & CREW SIGN-UP (info booth)
10:30	CRACKERBARREL (food prep)

SATURDAY, MAY 24th

7:45 - 8:30	CREW SIGN-UP & BREAKFAST (food prep)
8:30 - 9:00	FINAL SIGN-UP, CREW LEADERS MEET
9:00 -11:30	WORK DETAILS (work detail site)
11:30	CLEAN-UP
12:00-12:45	LUNCH (food prep)
12:45- 1:30	SHOES OFF TIME!
1:45-- 4:00	WORK PROJECTS (RESPECITVE AREAS)
4:00 - 5:30	CAMP ACTIVITIES (posibly church services)
6:00 - 7:00	DINNER (food prep)
DUSK	VIGIL TAP-OUT
AFTER TAP-OUT	CAMPFIRE
AFTER CAMPFIRE	CRACKERBARREL

SUNDAY, MAY 25th

7:00 - 7:45	VIGIL BREAKFAST
7:45 - 8:30	CREW SIGN-UP & BREAKFAST
8:45- 09:15	PUBLIC RECOGNITION (VIGIL)
9:30 -11:00	WORK PROJECTS (respective sites)
11:30	CLEAN UP
12:00-12:45	LUNCK (food prep)
12:45- 1:30	SHOES OFF!!
1:45 - 4:00	WORK PROJECTS (respective sites)
4:00 - 5:30	CAMP ACTIVITIES ? ?
5:30	CLEAN UP
6:00 - 7:00	DINNER (food prep)
8:00	MOVIE (T.B.A.)
9:30	PIZZA FELLOWSHIP (T.B.A.)

MONDAY, MAY 26th

7:45 - 8:30	BREAKFAST
8:30 - 9:30	BREAK CAMP, PACK UP, ETC.
11:00	EXUNT (EXIDUS MAXIMUS) BYE BYE!

CHAPTER NEWS

ACHEWON

It is not too late to get in our last swimming date. On April 8, 1986, our Chapter will again have the Carl Sandberg H.S. pool for our swimming & lifesaving M.B. clinic. We hope that our previous sessions were able to help complete as many merit badge requirements as possible.

Our Spring outing is just around the corner. We will journey to Devils Lake State Park in Baraboo, WI. on April 11-13. On Saturday, we will feature a strenuous and death-defying 14 mile trail around the lake.

For those of you who missed our banquet in February, a samshing time was had by all. Fifty-three Arrowmen and their relatives helped us celebrate our sixth year in Owasippe Lodge.

Camp Promotions can be scheduled by calling Vice Chief Eric Larson at 388-7122. Unit Elections are available from either Chapter Advisors; Francis Podbielski at 388-7390, or Scott Patterson at 488-7788. All Unit Elections must be held no later than May 23rd.

Our Sixth Annual Fellowship will again return to the First Church Camp in Bridgeman, MI. The tent. date is set for June 20-22. More info to follow, so stay tuned.

Finally, your Chapter dues of $5.00 are payable to Chapter Advisor Francis Podbielski at 13058 S. Honore St. Blue Island, Il. 60406.

ALLOHAK

Our Chapter will hold it's annual fellowship & Induction at the First Church Camp in Bridgeman, Michigan. We plan to have a large turn out, especially since we are combining with Uteney Chapter. Our Chapter held it's annual Bean Banquet at our March Chapter Meeting. The turn out was good and so was the fellowship.

Our Chapter Meetings are on the 2nd Wednesday of the month, at St. Lukes Church at 2649 N. Francisco. Special thanks to the Fort Dearbord District, for letting us field test our new camp promotion entitled "THE OUTDOOR EXPERIENCE". This promotion shows great success along with our "Camping Guide & Program Helps Book".

KANANI

Kanani Chapter holds it's meetings at St. Thomas Church/School at 5100 W. Washington Blvd. We would be more than happy to see some of it's youth & aduld leadership show up to our meetings. We meet on the first Sunday of each month. For more info, contact Jessie Landingham at 626-5815.

Congratulations to our Chapter on receiving the Hand of Service award for 1985.

Our Chapter annual fellowship will be at Fort Dearborn on the weekend of May 16-18. For more info, contact Joe Walters at 762-0635.

ATTENTION

HYPOTHERMIA ALERTNESS

Anytime you notice uncontrolled, violent shivering in yourself or any member of your family in the out-of-doors, suspect the onset of hypothermia. This shivering may be accompanied by difficulty in speaking clearly.

If you see these signs, go into action. Get the victim warm and out of wet or damp clothing into dry clothes. Make a big fire and walk the victim around the heat of the fire.

If the victim is alert, offer hot liquids (sugary tea, chocolate, cocoa, fruit juices) if they don't cause nausea or vomiting. Under no circumstance should you give alcoholic beverages.

When the shivering is controlled, keep the victim as warm and comfortable as possible.

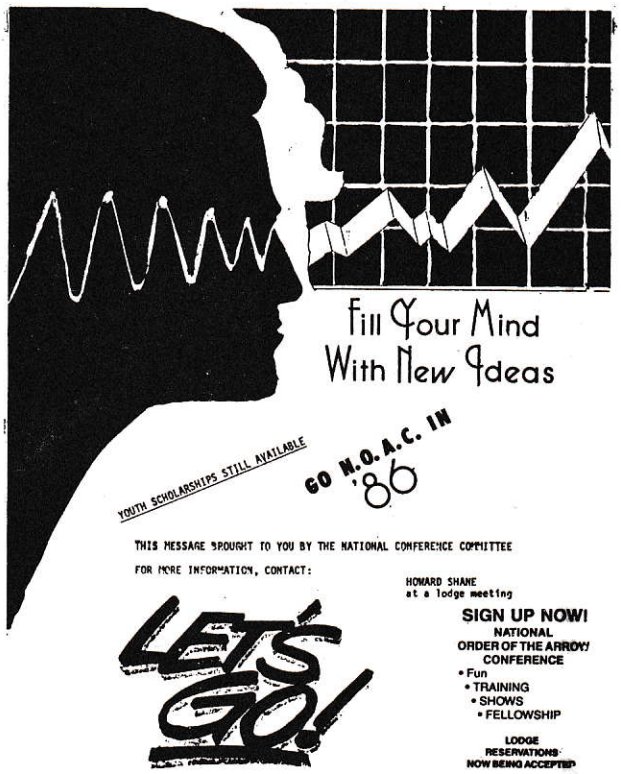
If the victim should become unconscious, put him on his back and tilt the head back to open the airways for breathing. Prompt hospital care is essential. Insulate the victim from further heat loss by completely wrapping him in a dry sleeping bag or blanket. Constantly monitor for breathing difficulty.

All of this treatment is designed to rebuild the body heat which has been lost. Hypothermia is serious. Victims can die from it.

What is hypothermia? It's the loss of body heat. When your body temperature drops more than 3 degrees below normal it causes body changes that could lead to death.

When hypothermia is understood, and campers are prepared for it, there's no problem. Preparation just means having adequate protection--enough warm clothing, windbreaker, and rain gear--for weather extremes that you might meet. Even then, a combination of cold, wetness, protection-enough warm clothing, wind and fatigue could produce the condition.

Your skin is a big radiator that your body uses to get rid of excess heat. If this radiator gives off heat faster than the body can generate it, eventually your body temperature will be lowered. Several things can cause this to happen--inadequate clothing for normally cold weather, inadequate clothing for low wind-chill conditions, and damp or wet clothing.



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THOSE WHO CHOSE YOU, NEED YOU.
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KINDLE THE FLAME FROM WITHIN

Fellow Arrowmen,

At the present time our lodge is becoming involved in many aspects of the scouting trail. It will be our responsibility to promote the various activities which the Order represents. For example: 1) the Work Weekend on Memorial Day weekend will be an enormous fun filled event. For the first time one might be able to hike one of the trails and canoe back - a voyager; 2) on August 11-15 the National Order of the Arrow Conference (NOAC) will be held. Our lodge is giving away scholarships to the qualified individuals so fill out an application and send it in. The scholarship funding is growing to spectacular amounts of available money; 3) our lodge fellowship will be held on September 12-14th; and 4) the section conclave will be held on September 26-28th at Joliet Junior College. The central theme is: "onward and upward". As one can clearly realize the road ahead possesses many weighty and irksome task but as a growing lodge we can succeed with no problem. We comprise a group of dedicated, intelligent, and cheerful individuals all striving towards the betterment of all. Get involved and now is the time.

Presently our lodge does not have a vice-chief so anyone interested please contact myself or Mr. Morrison at the scout office. A resume will be necessary for fulfillment of this position. The lodge is in dire need for chapters to take on the responsibility of: 1) seeking entertainment for this year's lodge banquet and 2) reproducing the centerpieces for the lodge banquet. If any chapter would dedicate their efforts to these tasks please fill out a bid sheet and submit it to lodge as soon as possible. For those chapters who have not turned in data sheets for this year's mailing please do so immediately because you are delaying Ron Peene and the rest of the lodge in increasing our membership. In order for us to become a great success we must become one and unite our efforts towards a common cause so get involved with the many events in our future.

Chiefly speaking,

Paul J. Montalbano

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PARTICIPATION BY RESERVATION ONLY

ALL MEMBERS, ORDEAL, BROTHERHOOD, AND VIGIL CANDIDATES ARE TO CHECK IN FRIDAY NIGHT. This is a camp out and WORK DAY (saturday). All members will provide their own shelter or rent it from the camp store. The tenting area will be designated at the time of registration..

DEADLINE FOR RESERVATIONS IS SEPTEMBER 3, 1986

COST	Members	meals patch	$8.00
	Ordeal candidates	meals sash O/A Handbook patch	$10.00
	Brotherhood candidates Vigil candidates	meals sash patch	$13.00

NOTE!!
Brotherhood candidates are to supply the form on the opposite page properly filled out at the time of registration.

REMEMBER THE DEADLINE OF September 3, 1986
The fellowship will be at Hoover Reservation September 12, 14, 15, 1986

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65 YEARS OF SERVICE TO SCOUTING

CALENDAR

MAY, 1986

3	SHOWANDO (FT. DEARBORN)
7	ADVISORY COMM. MEETING
23-26	WORK WEEKEND (OWASIPPE)
28	LODGE EXECUTIVE COMM. MEETING

JUNE, 1986

4	ADVISORY COMM. MEETING
18	LODGE EXECUTIVE COMM. MEETING
29	OWASIPPE PER. 1

SCOREBOARD

JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	
	CVA					ACHEWON
CA	CVA	***				ALLOHAK
CVA	CV	C				KANANI
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CVA	CV	CVA				KIOWA
						LANGOMA
	VA	C				LU-MENNEPEC
						METI-GOMEZ
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